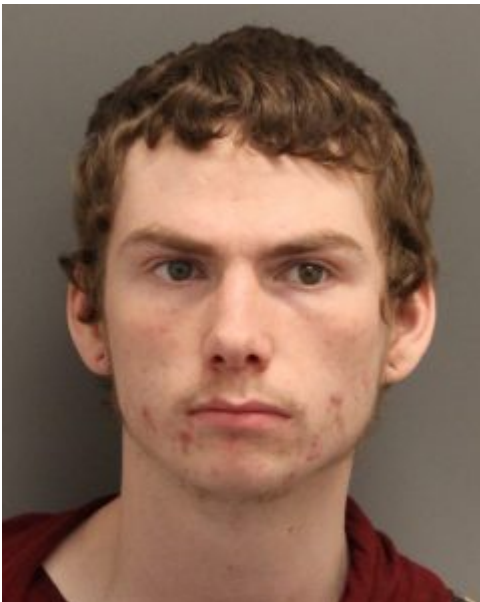


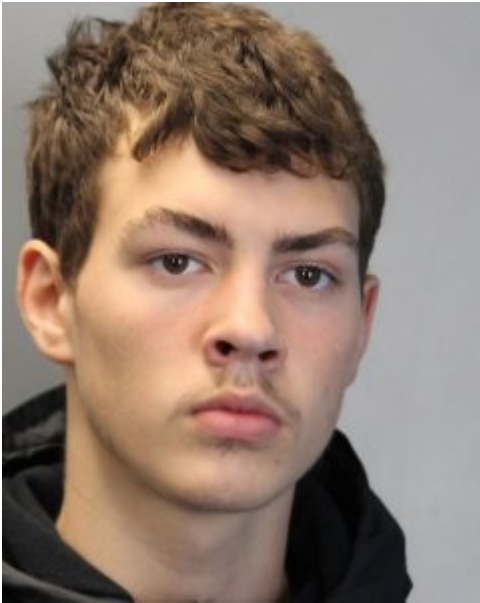
# Troopers Arrest Three in Connection with Multiple Thefts From Vehicles



Daniel L. Santangelo



Travis Ray Martin



James R. Plymire

**Hartly/Marydel**— The Delaware State Police have arrested three suspects in connection with a spree of thefts from motor vehicles occurring in the Hartly and Marydel areas.

The investigation began on December 5, 2018, when Troopers were made aware of three theft incidents in which unsecured vehicles on Proctors Purchase Road, Hartly had been rummaged through and items were taken.

On December 21, 2018, Troopers were made aware of six more incidents reported on Mahan Corner Road in Marydel. Between January 2, 2019 and January 7, 2019, four additional incidents were reported from victims living on Slaughter Station Road and Hartly Road.

On January 2, 2019 a burglary to a shed was reported in the 1800 block of Slaughter Station Road, Hartly.

On January 6 and 7, 2019, three more incidents occurred on Sandy Bend Road and Tappahana Bridge Road. During one of the thefts, an ATV was removed from the bed of a truck.

Through investigative measures, Troopers were able to identify the suspect who fled from the ATV that was located at the Hartly/Marydel Little League as, 18-year-old **Daniel Sangtangelo** of Marydel.

On January 15, 2019 Sangtangelo turned himself in at Troop 3 and was charged with the following:

- Burglary 3rd
- Theft (Felony) (3 counts)
- Conspiracy 2nd (3 counts)
- Conspiracy 3rd (11 counts)
- Theft (misdemeanor) (11 counts)
- Attempted Theft (3 counts)
- Criminal Trespass (14 counts)

Santagelo was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 7 and released on his own recognizance.

Two more suspects were identified as 19-year-old **Travis Martin** of Marydel and 17-year-old **James Plymire** of Marydel for their involvement in the crimes.

On February 21, 2019, Travis Martin was arrested at Dover High School and transported to Troop 3 where he was charged with the following:

- Burglary 3rd
- Theft (Felony) (3 counts)
- Conspiracy 2nd (3 counts)
- Conspiracy 3rd (11 counts)
- Theft (misdemeanor) (11 counts)
- Attempted Theft (3 counts)
- Criminal Trespass (14 counts)

Martin was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 7 and released on his own recognizance.

On February 21, 2019, James Plymire turned himself into Troop 3 and was charged with the following:

- Burglary 3rd
- Theft (Felony) (2 counts)
- Conspiracy 2nd (2 counts)

- Conspiracy 3rd (10 counts)
- Theft (misdemeanor) (11 counts)
- Attempted Theft (1 counts)
- Criminal Trespass (12 counts)

Plymire was arraigned before the Justice of the Peace Court 2 and turned over to an adult relative.

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